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**PATENT**  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:  
Metcalfe, et al.**

Serial No.: 10/748,592

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For: Downhole Sealing

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